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Dear Dr. Waksman:

I am pleased to note the new letterhead on your communication of December 15 which I trust signifies the coming into operation of your new institute. To anticipate the formal dedication, please accept my sincerest best wishes for its future under your direction.

I will, of course, be delighted to participate in the symposium mentioned in your letter and am especially pleased at your approval of the topic that I had previously indicated. You will, I am sure, keep me informed as to the details of the remainder of the program after these have been settled. This will be indispensable for the preparation of my own contribution.

With best wishes for the season.

Yours sincerely,

Joshua Lederberg

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